



Center for Creative Play®

Presents TWO Exciting Workshops in Raleigh
for Educators, Parents, Therapists, and
ANYONE Who Works With Children!

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Marbles Kids Museum * 201 E. Hargett St. * Raleigh, NC 27601

Workshops presented by Center for Creative Play's Senior Play Environment Specialist, and Occupational Therapist, **Ingrid M. Kanics, OTR/L**. A recent recipient of the Pennsylvania and the National Occupational Therapy Association's Award for her work in "Innovative Indoor Play and Sensory Motor Environments," Ingrid has presented at national conferences for NAEYC, Parents-as-Teachers, and the Association of Children's Museums. Her presentations are practical, informative, and leave participants motivated to make a difference and armed with the tools to do so.



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I Can Play: Play as a "Fun-damental" Experience for Every Child

February 14, 2008 * 9am-12pm

Play is a life long activity and the foundation for all formal education. Play environments should support and encourage the emotional, physical, cognitive, and social development of *every* child. When planning play opportunities, it is important to take into consideration a wide range of abilities and to consider "hidden" disabilities such as autism. Participants will learn why it is important to integrate a variety of play experiences into the lives of every child.

Participants will learn:

- That play is an essential developmental experience for every child
- About the seven principles of Universal Design
- How play experience can be modified and enhanced for children of all abilities
- To identify barriers to accessibility and inclusion

"Sense-ational" World: Sensory Integration Theory in Everyday Life

February 14, 2008 * 1-4pm

Many young children struggle with sensory input in everyday situations. This workshop discusses the seven senses, builds on the basics of sensory integration theory, and gives participants a multitude of ideas for using this knowledge to help children in everyday situations including: daycare, preschool, therapy settings, home, and in the community.

Participants will learn:

- The basics of sensory integration theory as they relate to play experiences
- To identify behaviors exhibited when a child is having trouble processing sensory input.
- How children regulate their nervous systems during sensory experiences.
- To design play experiences that meet a child's sensory needs.
- About the Sensory Adventure Camp model

****CEUs for Certified Teachers will be Available****

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Reminder:
Inquire about Continuing Education Credits

Workshop Registration Form

Name: _____

Organization (if applicable): _____

Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

Phone: _____ Cell Phone: _____

E-mail: _____

I will be attending the following workshops at Marbles Kids Museum: (workshops will be held in Venture Hall within the Wachovia IMAX[®] Theatre at Marbles Kids Museum)

☐ **I Can Play**
February 14, 2008
9am-12pm
\$75**

☐ **“Sense-ational” World: An Introduction to Sensory Integration in Everyday Life**
February 14, 2008
1-4pm
\$75**

****If participants pre-register for both workshops, the cost is \$135.** (\$150 day of event)
Group, parent, and student discounts available.

☐ Please bill my credit card (Visa or Mastercard) for the following amount
\$ _____
Credit card # _____ Exp. Date _____
Name on the card _____
Signature _____

☐ I have enclosed a check or money order (**made out to Center for Creative Play**)
for the following amount \$ _____

Completed registrations can be faxed to 412-371-1096, or mailed to:
Center for Creative Play
Attn: Workshops
1400 S. Braddock Ave
Pittsburgh, PA 15218

Additional workshop questions can be directed to Kate Reilly
at 412-371-1668, Ext. 1011 or kate@cfcpl.org

For museum questions or directions to Marbles Kids Museum call
919-834-4040 or visit www.marbleskidsmuseum.org.